

## AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the entire paragraph beginning at page 7, line 8, as shown in the following Marked-Up Version of the replacement paragraph:

--In addition, an ~~opened-type~~ open-shaped opening 21 is ~~defined in the~~  
5 ~~connection of the distal end of the longitudinal portion 16 of the mounting hole 14~~  
~~and~~ formed on the end face 19 of the housing 11 of the scanner and is connected with  
the mounting hole 14. The transverse width of the opening 21 is equal to the distance  
between the two opposite catch plates 17 and 18.